Illinois Democrats Opposed to Silver Plank.

WILL DENOUNCE HIGH TARIFF

MOST OF PLATFORM WILL BE CONFINED TO STATE ISSUES.

PRINGFIELD, Ills., June 16 .-Whether or not the Kansas City platform is to be reaffirmed, and who will be the chairman of the next state convention, are the causes of possible friction in the Democratic convention which will meet tomorrow, and it is not evident that either will bring up much of a fight.

The platform has already been built in the rough, but will not be finished and polished off until tomorrow. A committee of party leaders, headed by Samuel Alschuler of Aurora, who is to be chairman of the committee on resolutions, met to consider the declaration of principles tonight, and remained in session until a late hour.

May Pass Platform in Silence. The chances are, however, that the the last national convention should not adopted. be thrown aside. On the other hand, the opponents of reaffirmation insist that there is a possibility of a party split if the plank is inserted, and that the chance of this is too great a price to pay for sentiment regarding issues that do not enter directly into the coming state campaign.

The committee having the platform in charge was tonight in favor of ignor-ing the Kansas City platform, and unless the late arrivals tomorrow morning should cause a decided change in sentiment, it is not likely that the present aspect of the platform will be changed. Other planks will be inserted, declaring in favor of territorial government in the Philippines, criticising the attitude of the party leaders on the tariff, declaring against the interference of the federal courts in matters relating to the revenue laws of Illinois, declaring against government by injunction and favoring punishment for violation of an injunction through jury trial, not for the actual violation of the injunction, but for the commission of the offense which the injunction seeks to prevent There will also be a plank on Cuban reciprocity.

State Issues Considered. The remainder of the platform will be confined to state issues. Millard F. Dunlap will be renominated for state treasurer, and Pickering leads for clerk

of the supreme court.

The nine candidates for clerk of the appellate court are: John H. Baker, Frank Orr, Cosmo Keller Seymour Hu-rat, Edward McConnell, George W. Funderburk, Henry Bowers, Samuel H. Murdock and George Ribble.

John P. Hopkins of Chicago will be chosen chairman of the state central

HIS PRESENCE IN DEMAND.

Roosevelt Invited to Visit Many Points in the West.

Washington, June 16 .- Invitations are pouring in on President Roosevelt to should employ our transports, as far visit a number of points in the west as possible, in the transportation of this autumn. Senators Millard and supplies. The remainder was to be but he had not Dietrich of Nebraska today urged him carried, under the provisions of the up to tonight. to take a run from Omaha to North Platte. Representative Bowersock of Kansas urged him to visit that state. Senator Quaries of Wisconsin also extended an invitation to visit La-crosse on the occasion of the interstate fair, which will be held there during the week of Sept. 25. Representative Crumpacker of In-

diana asked the president, on behalf of the Dinwiddie Clan of the United States, to attend their annual reunio at Hebron. Ind., the date of which has been left open to suit the president's convenience should he desire to go. In each case the president said he would be glad to accept if it can be arranged. A committee of citizens of Indian Territory, composed of United States Marshal Bennett, Tams Bixby of the Dawes commission, Thomas P. Smith and H. Van Smith, today secured from the president a promise to visit Muscogee during his southwestern tour this autumn. It was at Muscogee where Captain Capron recruited troops L and M of the rough riders, and the president's determination to stop there was influenced by a desire to see some of his comrades again.

STORIES ARE UNFOUNDED

Venezuela's Representative Says Insurgents Control Cable.

Washington, June 16 .- In well informed diplomatic quarters here the impres sion prevails that the revolution which is at present threatening President Castro of Venezuela is perhaps the most formidable of any that has arisen there during the past few years. Nevertheless, as long as the revolutionists can be confined in their movements to outlying towns, and can be kept from the central points of administration, such as Caracas, or the City of Valencia, it is thought here that there is no possibility of final success of the opponents of the Castro administration. If the revolutionists fail in their purpose this time, it is thought the ac-complishment of their end can be relegated to the distant future.

Senor Augustus Pulido, the Venezue-lan charge d'affaires, has not received lan charge danaires, has not touching the Nicaragua plan as lacking in the progress of the revolutionary movedefiniteness. He pointed out that Costa the progress of the revolutionary movement. In his last mail he received a letter from the Venezuelan secretary grant the necessary concession to the Over to Oregon Officials. of state, Sengr Ferrera, declaring that United States, and said that if the cable connections at Trinidad and Curacoa to magnify minor insurgent tories into overwhelming defeats of the government arms.

MONDELL SECURES PEN.

Henderson Presents Pen With Which Irrigation Act Was Signed.

(Special to The Herald.) Washington, June 16 .- Speaker Henderson signed the irrigation act today and presented the pen with which he signed the bill to Representative Mondell of Wyoming, who expects also to receive the pen President Roosevelt will use in signing the act. Both pens will be presented to the Wyoming State Historical society, which has a collection of historical articles in state.

Mrs. Estee's Death a Mystery. New York, June 16.—Mrs. Sarah Es-fee, former wife of Morris M. Estee, twice candidate for governor of California, and now federal judge in Ha-waii, has been found dead in her boarding house in Brooklyn, where she had made her home during the past ten years. Mrs. Estee was, before her mar-riage to Judge Estee, Miss Sarah Phillips, a leading society girl of Memphis,

HOUSE TO AMEND INDIAN BILL :

(Continued from Page 1.)

he pensions of those who have lost : limb or limbs, or have been totally dis-abled in the military or naval service of the United States. The house amendnents to the bill reduced the increasallowed for the loss of a hand or foot from \$45 to \$40; for an arm at or below the elbow, or a leg at or below the knee, from \$50 to \$48; a leg at the hip oint or an arm at the shoulder fron \$60 to \$55.

No amendment was made to pension or total disability, which remains at

The committee also added an amendment to increase the pensions of sol-diers under the dependent act of 1890, when they require "frequent and periodical aid," from \$12 to \$30. The bill was passed, 98 to 18.

Subsidy Coinage for Hawaii. Mr. Southard (Rep., O.) moved the passage, under suspension of the rules, of a bill to retire the Hawaiian silver coinage and replace it with subsidiary coinage of the United States. He explained that the bill proposed to do for Hawaii what was done for Porto Rico n the matter of coinage. The Hawaiian silver today circulated at par with gold. The bill was lost, 114 to 71, two-thirds not having voted in the affirmative.
Mr. McClellan of New York moved the adoption, under suspension of the rules, of a resolution appropriating \$100,000 toward the erection of a monu-Kansas City platform, and with it the silver issue, will be passed over in silver issue, will be passed in the state of New York had appropriated \$25,000, and the city of New York \$50,000, that the avowed policy of the party in vate subscription. The resolution was

Mr. McCleary of Minnesota moved the adoption, under suspension of the rules, of a resolution to appropriate \$25,000 for plans for a memorial monument in this city to the memory of Abraham Lincoln. Although thirty-eight years had passed since Lincoln died, Mr. McCleary said, there was no worthy memorial to this great man here.

Cannon Has Another Kick.

Mr. Cannon said he was in favor o proper memorial to Lincoln, but if it was proposed to erect the memorial at some place where it was to be used as fronted by two men carrying guns. an argument for the proposed memorial They ordered me to stand aside, which

bridge, he would oppose it.
Mr. Richardson, the Democratic leader, called attention to the fact that and feet. They built a fire in my stove the four members of the commission to select the design (the secretary of fast, after which they cooked all the state, secretary of war and chairmen of the senate and house committees on library) were all Republicans, Lincoln's memorial, he said, belonged to no political party. It was a common heritage.
Thereupon Mr. McCleary, after disclaiming any thought of politics in connection with the matter, asked unani-mous consent that Mr. Richardson be added to the commission. The suggestion was received with applause.

Mr. Richardson protested unavailingy, and his name was added to the com The senate bill was passed to amend he act granting pensions to the sur-

vivors of the Indian wars of 1832-42. To Favor American Built Ships. Mr. Stevens of Minnesota moved the war, in his discretion, to favor American-built ships in the trnasportation of cabin by Sheriff Marsh and the detecgovernment supplies to the Philippines tives. The country surrounding Peer

Mr. Underwood of Alabama started a dibuster, but failed. Mr. Stevens, in support of the bill, said it hardly merited the opposition it seemed to have aroused. It provided, he said, that the secretary of war bill, in American bottoms, at his discretion, if such service did not cost exceeding 10 per cent more than similar service in foreign vessels. At most, he added, the secretary could use his discretion only two years, as in 1904 only vessels of American register could ply between the United States and Philip-

pine ports. "Is not this a homeopathic dose of the ship subsidy bill?" asked Mr. Clay of Alabama. "I am willing," replied Mr. Stevens,

to pay 10 per cent additional for the next two years in order to establish a lirect line of communication to the Mr. Slayden of Texas said he was

surprised to see so good a man as Mr. Stevens support a bill so vicious. It was a direct application of the ship subsidy principle to a few individuals.

Mr. Clayton of Alabama said the bill

Was a proposition. was a proposition to give unnecessary gratuity to certain ship owners.

Messrs. Snodgrass of Tennessee, Underwood of Alabama, Cochran of Missouri and Williams of Mississippi also opposed the bill. Mr. Jones of Wash-ington supported it. It was defeated. 78 to 66, two-thirds not having voted

At 5:25 the house adjourned.

based his argument principally on the report of the isthmian commission recommending that route, asserting that he was satisfied a good title to the property could be obtained. Mr. Kittredge not only strongly favored the redge not only strongly favored the redge not only strongly favored the Panama route, which, in his judgment, water. was much the better, but also attacked Nicaragua route were selected it would be a long time before work could be

begun, if it ever could begin. Just before adjournment a spirited liscussion was precipitated over a motion by Mr. Proctor of Vermont to agree to a conference with the house on army appropriation bill. Several weeks ago the senate was affronted by message from the house refusing to submit to conference certain sensite amendments to the bill. The opposition to Mr. Proctor's motion was so vigor ous that finally he was forced to with

ALL QUIET AT PAWTUCKET

draw it for the present.

Militia Will Be Withdrawn-Cars

Will Be Operated Again. Pawtucket, R. I., June 16.—When in the opinion of ten prominent clitzens, including Mayor Fitzgerald and Chief of Police Rice, tranquillity has been restored in the rogues gallery, and he was sentilpace of mob rule, the militia ordered place of mob rul

TO SELECT IRRIGATION RESERVOIR SITES WASHINGTON

(Special to The Herald.) ASHINGTON, June 16.—F. A. Newell of the geological survey will spend part of the summer in the west, making preliminary examinations of reservoir sites which may be selected under the new irrigation act. Newell says he will proceed with caution in making preliminary surveys and investigations, in order that no mistakes may be made in the projects selected under the irrigation act.

Mountain States.

ON TRAIL OF CONVICTS

Established.

Portland, Ore., June 16.-Tracy and Merrill, the escaped convicts, are now in the timber near Vancouver, Wash., and the posse of nearly 200 men believes it has the fugitives surrounded. Tracy and Merrill appeared at the cabin of a rancher named Peedy, about four miles back of Vancouver, at 6:30 this morning, bound and gagged him, stole his clothes and some loose garments which were in the cabin. Then they went away, leaving Peedy lying on the ground. He was found by passers-by, an hour later and told his story. After going a short distance from Peedy's cabin, Tracy and Merrill stopped and changed their clothes for the ones they had stolen. The discarded garments, including their prison shoes, were found by members of the posse later in the day. Among the garments found were several taken from Dr. White, who was held up by the convicts in Marion county.

This establishes positively that the posse is after the right men.

Peedy Tells His Story. Peedy, in relating his experience with Tracy and Merrill, said: "Shortly be-fore 8 o'clock, while I was still in bed, I heard a loud rap on my door. I got up and opened the door and was con-I did. They entered and then shoved me down on the bed and tied my hands bacon in the house, about five or eight pounds, and put it with what bread I had in a sack. Each of the men put on a suit of my clothes, including a hat and cap and a pair of shoes, leaving their castt-off things in my cabin. Before leaving they asked me if I had any money and proceeded to go through my pockets, finding \$5. They then put a gag in my mouth and went away, locking the door behind them, saying they would send someone to is name was added to the com-The resolution was adopted aged to free myself after hard work."

Tell Who They Are. Peedy says the convicts talked in-essantly while in his house, telling him they were Tracy and Merrill. A pair of shoes from which the soles were worn Mr. Stevens of Minnesota moved the passage, under suspension of the rules, of a bill to authorize the secretary of stolen from Dr. White at Gervais and Walla penitentiary was telegraphed for yesterday and is expected to arrive here with bloodhounds this morning, but he had not put in an appearance up to tonight. Late this evening a majority of the officers came to Van-couver for a rest and to await the arrival of the bounds, when the search will be resumed in earnest tomorrow. In the meantime it would not be sur-

prising to many people if the convicts would attempt to reach the house of Merrill's relations. A strict watch is being kept by officers upon the house in which a half brother and stepfather of the outlaw live. William Morris, a member of the citizens' posse from here, was brought to the hospital with his thigh shattered by a rifle ball fired by a member of the party from Portland. Morris, with a companion, was watching a bridge across Salmon creek. when they were mistaken for the con-He was sitting in a crouching position and the ball struck him in the front part of the thigh, crushing the bone. It is thought tonight the limb may have to be amputated. Morris has a wife and several small children.

YOUNG WOMAN A SUICIDE.

Saw Her Lover Walking With Another Girl and Drank Carbolic Acid. SENATE STILL ON CANAL BILL.

London Dock Charges Bill Passed—

Speeches Favoring Panama Route.

Washington, June 16.—After a discussion extending over parts of several days, the senate today passed what is popularly known as the London dock charges bill. The opposition to the measure collapsed and it was passed without division.

Consideration was then continued of the isthmian canal project, Mr. Cullom of Illinois and Mr. Kittredge of South Dakota delivering speeches in advocacy of the Panama route. The former based his argument principally on the

PORTLAND FORGER CAUGHT.

ESCAPED CONVICT RECAPTURED. His Identity Established by Picture

in Rogues' Gallery.

Vaucouver, June 16.-In Tom Gray, alias Joe King, alias John Clark, ar-rested on the charge of complicity in a succession of recent burglaries here, a succession of recent burglaries here, a reporter recognized a prisoner who had broken jail here six years ago. His identity was established by his photograph in the rogues' gallery, and he was sentenced today to two years with hard labor added to the balance of his unexpired term. He was recently released from the Salem penitentiary, where he served a term.

tenced to twenty years' imprisonment and to pay the costs of prosecution. J. E. Cromey, a Northport bartender, who shot Pat Lyons, a smelter employe, during the labor troubles last February, was sen-tenced to seventeen years' imprisonment, and to pay the costs of prosecution.

UNDERWOOD IN JAIL.

ON TRAIL OF CONVICTS

Seattle, Wash. June 16.—Paul Underwood reached this city today in charge of Sheriff Cudihee and City Marshal Graham of Aberdeen. He was taken at once to the county jail and placed in the north tank. Unlike his wife, he talked considerably, though guardedly. He reiterated the statement that his wife was with him when he dropped the baby in the water and insisted that it was dead at the time.

MISS BULLEN RECOVERING. Pueblo, Colo., June 16.—Miss Katherine Bullen, who was found Saturday night after she had been missing a week, is much improved today and her physician believes she will recover her health. She is suffering from a peculiar form of typhoid fever, and for the past week has been delirious. Nothing is known regarding the experiences she had during her absence.

SIXTH WEEK OF COAL STRIKE.

New Developments-Several Small Riots Occur.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., June 16.—The sixth week of the anthracite coal miners' strike began today without a ripple to disturb the calmness of the situation. The rain

central Pennsylvania men would not be called out except as an extreme measure. He thought a curtailment of soft coal production in his district would be a more likely action.

Some of the miners in his region, he said, have already suggested to him that the number of days of work each week be cut down, thus cutting off a considerable supply of soft coal that is coming east.

PIGEON CASE UP AGAIN.

Russian Government May Have to

Pay \$45,000 Claim. New Bedford, Mass., June 16 .- The were thoroughly patroled by officers, and Sheriff Marsh is convinced that the convicts remained in hiding in a strip of timber surrounding the cabin today. Deputy Warden Carson of the Walla Walla penitentiary was telegraphed for yesterday and is expected to arrive. sealing vessel, was seized by a Russian vessel in the Bering sea. The firm claims \$45,000 damages as a result.

CLOUDBURST AT SCRANTON. Strikers Fined for Threatening

Workmen.

CONTRACTORS MUST OBEY GOVERNMENT RULES.

(Special to The Herald.)

Washington, June 16 .- Supervising Architect Taylor states that the order Cheyenne public building to take down the walls already built was issued by his office because the contractors had failed to obey the orders of the superitendent of the building directing them not to "use certain cement which had not been given a government test.

The orders of the superintendent were ton office. Notwithstanding these or-ders, the contractors continued the use prevail in the vulgar mind regarding

daughter ran in exclaiming:
"I've done it; I've done it. Kiss me July 28; also for bids on the following

STEAMSHIP LINES ADOPT

(Special Correspondence.)

Yellowstone canyon, Wyoming, painted by Thomas Moran. The picture is in the north gallery on the senate side, and the capitol guides never miss it in showing their patrons the attractions of the capitol. Aside from its interest as a work of art, the picture has a peculiar feature which is somewhat mysterious. Looking at it from the left, the Yellowstone river seems to emerge from the canyon on the extreme northern edge, the mountains betreme northern edge, the mountains be-yond fading into a dim perspective. By walking past the picture from left to right, the position of the river appears to change, and when a point of view is reached to the right of the canvas, the river seems to flow from the south. The guides do not vouchsafe any explanation, and thousands of vis- Independent Theatrical Managers

ionable boarding schools are almost over, the weary senators will get a rest. It has been quite the thing this summer to have diplomas presented to fair graduates by senatorial hands. Senator Beveridge made his usual graceful appearance in the new role. Of course, Senator Clark of Montana had to deliver a commencement ad-dress. Senator Fairbanks got a most charming welcome from the girls at Bowling Green, where he helped launch number of hopeful graduates. Only Senator Hanna is bashful about these pretty honors. He has been literally deluged with invitations, most of the college authorities expressing their week of the anthracite coal miners' strike began today without a ripple to disturb the calmess of the situation. The rain fell nearly all day, which helped to keep the more than 150,000 men and boys indoors. Several reports of assault on workingmen and coal and fron policemen were received here from different sections of the region.

No one was seriously injured. It was expected that today would witness the refusal of a large number of fire bosses and other mine bosses to go to work, but the best information obtainable shows that the number of men who quit was not large. However, President Mitchell and other leaders assert that nearly all of the men that were at work on Saturday refused to go into the collieries today.

Casper Clark of Toledo president of willingness to forego the pleasure of hearing him speak if he will only honor the graduates by handing them their diplomas. But Mr. Hanna refuses to be coaxed. Does he scent a bit of mirthful ridicule in that will-

arise and answer, getting back to his chair as quickly as possible. Several chair as quickly as possible. Several times the questions and answers were quite interesting. For instance, Mr. Hanna suggested that if the volcano in Lake Nicaragua were to duplicate the performance of Mont Pelee, the striking miners.

There was a revival today of the story that the Central Pennsylvania Soft Coal miners would be called out very soon, but President Patrick Gilay of the central Pennsylvania district, reiterated what he had said yesterday, that the central Pennsylvania men would not be called out except as an extreme measure, when Mr. Hanna was reading the testimony of sea captains on the adoccupied by Lake Nicaragua."
When Mr. Hanna was reading the testimony of sea captains on the advantages of the Panama over the Nic-

aragua route, Mr. Mitchell of Oregon proved another thorn in his side by pressing him very closely as to the circumstances under which the evidence was given. "These statements are in answer to

uestions," finally admitted Mr. Hanna.
"By whom?" queried Mr. Mitchell. "By the persons who asked the ques-tions," was the non-committal reply. And then everybody laughed. Nowadays every clever phrase be-

comes slang, but there is only one way of turning slang into a clever phrase. which the governments of the United States and Russia have figured since 1873, is brought up once more through the arbiter. M. C. Asser, adviser of the minister of foreign affairs of Helland

tion at last. It's a rather peculiar sound and it breaks in at most unexpected times, and this is the explanation, Senator Dietrich of Nebraska was eating breakfast in the cafe at an uptown hotel, and someone asked the lime. Nobody happened to have a watch, and there was a motion to call the waiter, "That isn't necessary, Scranton, Pa., June 16.—A veritable cloudburst occurred here tonight, flooding cellars and causing the river to rise in a large alarm clock. It was one of threatening manner. threatening manner.

Rain is still falling heavily, and should it keep up its pace until morning the river top. "It is twenty minutes after 9." it keep up its pace until morning the river top. "It is twenty minutes after 9," will overflow its banks and reach many remarked the Nebraskan, glancing at of the mine openings.
Charles Robinson, the Delaware & Hudson waitchman, who was shot at Oliphant Saturday night, will recover.
The coal company continues to cause arrests of strikers who molest their workmen. A magistrate fined four more men \$25 each for threatening workmen. gagement. Then I set it for the next appointment, and so on through the terious rackets in the senate cham-

> Mr. Burne-Jones, the great painter, been the wiser, but he has left his wonderful "Vampire" behind him in Washington for a few weeks. The picture is the most marvelous thing of its kind that has been on exhibition in Washington galleries for many years. Mrs. Patrick Campbell is said to have posed for it. It has been so much talked of, so much written about, that it is audaclous to venture a description of it: yet some misunderstanding seems to the motive of the picture. It was inspired by an old Belgravian superstition to the effect that the corpse of a dame de demimonde does not rest easy in its grave, but in the long moonlit nights comes back to suck the blood from the heart of its surviving lovers. The painting represents the figure of a man flung across a bed, a deep wound over his heart, and above him bends the vampire, her flesh the ashy color of decay, and her lips stained with the blood of her victim. The picture, of course, attracts great crowds.

Not all the brown storm doors are up by any means. Mrs. Roosevelt has sailed for Oyster Bay, on the Dolphin, taking her boys and girls with her. Mrs. Root has left for Europe, and many more of the leaders of social MINIMUM FREIGHT RATE. Washington have flitted, but the city Baltimore, Md., June 16.—Practically all the rest of the month. But a feature of the steamship lines operating between of this June life in the capital is the ports in the British isles and ports on dinners at the Chevy Chase club. It tered into the agreement. It is said to be agreement. It is said to be agreement age symmethes women, who never before months ago, by which the lines established a minimum rate of 1½ pence on grain.

Robert Ramsey of Patterson, Ramey & Co. of this city said he did not care to discuss the matter. "It is a secret agreement," he said "it is on trial and will be adjusted if it is found to discriminate against any of the lines. I cannot religious the nature of the compact."

Other steamboat men were more communicative, although declining to details. One gentleman, who asked that his name be withheld, said:

"Steamship companies are weary of doing business at a loss and have decided to put in a minimum rate, which will eventually mean a loss of money to us."

SPAIN WILL SEND

and their wives. It is remarkable how these women, who never before thought one very before thought of spending a summer in the hot placed. (Baltimore American.)

"I could just die dancing!" avows the maiden fair to see, who has been two-stepping on the hotel plazza.

"Then," smiles her escort, "s Shakespeare, but shifte for this mortal coil."

Affers the was inclined to ask for an introduction to Mr. Shakespeare, but shifte of this mortal coil."

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Blasted Hopes.

(Chicago Tribune.)

"How did you like the speech?" they asked Tommy, on his way home from the belated will prevent ruinous competition. That rate is to be maintained. If shippers do not want the room, we, will keep it. We may decide to have our ships carry haif a cargo at a minimum rather than have them transport full cargoes at rates which will eventually mean a loss of money to us."

SPAIN WILL SEND

GOSSIP park. The roads are admirably adapted for automobiling, and Mr. Hall anticipated much pleasure for the coming season. Remembering, however, that the park is under jurisdiction of the interior department, he made applica-ASHINGTON, June 13.—A famous tion, as a precautionary measure, for show picture in the capitol is the mobile in the park. Much to his assnow picture in the capitol is the mobile in the park. Much to his astonishment, the desired permission was

WILL FIGHT SYNDICATE.

Unite. Now that the commencements of fash-

Unite.

New York, June 16.—An organization was effected here tonight to unite individual theatrical managers of the country for the purpose of securing bookings independent of the so-called the atrical "syndicate." It is called the independent booking agency. The agreement upon which the new agency was established was entered in today by Harrison Gray Fiske, Maurice Campbell and James K. Hackett.

The organizers disclaim any intention to enter into competition with or pursue any organized policy against existing booking combinations. They say they have united to form an agency through which their own and outside attractions may secure bookings independent of the existing company and that the independent agency is not formed for pecuniary gain.

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s. Fiske, Henrieta Crosman, James
Hackett in "The Crisis," and Isabell
ving in a special company for "The
tisis"; "Mistress Nell" and "Captain

KILLED FELLOW PRISONER.

Two Convicts Engage in Fatal Fight Over a Cigarette.

Sacramento, Cal., June 16.—At the Folsom prison today a life term convict named Fred Clayton, killed another convict named Arthur Spellman. The latter was serving a thirty-year term for robbery. The men quarreled over a cigarette and Clayton knocked Spellman down. The latter's head struck on the cement floor of the prison corridor and he died a few hours later.

FACTORY HANDS IN PANIC. St. Louis, Mo., June 16.—Terrified by smoke and heat from the burning building occupied by the St. Louis Riding Academy and Boarding Stable, at Locust street and Channing avenue, 300 girls and 100 men employed in the Friedman Bros. Shoe company's factory, just west of the stable, in panic this afternoon sought egress by fire escape and elevator. Several persons were slightly injured. The fire gutted the stable and burned five horses. Loss, \$50,000.

WOULD MAKE GOOD BEHAVIOR AN ITEM.

Washington, June 16 .- Senator Hoar, from the committee on judiciary, today reported favorably the house bill providing a commutation of the sentences of prisoners in federal prisons, amounting to from five to ten days per month for good behavior.

TREASURY STATEMENT. Washington, D. C., June 16.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cast ances, \$201,838,861; gold, \$99,618,009.

WHEN FEVER'S IN THE BLOOD. (New York Suna Ain't felt right pert fer a week er two: Ben sorter cranky an' restless an' blue; No p'tickler reasons, es I ken see;

Can't find enythin' specially wrong wi' me;
Jes' don't feel frisky an' don't wanter do
A goldarn thing thet I don't hev to;
Food don't taste jes' 'xactly right,
Sleep' is kinder broke up at night;
Don't wanter set still, an' don't wanter

find thet it's jes' what I don't wanter Now I wonder What's th' matter Wi' me, by thunder! 'Tain't fever, sure-fer my heat ain't ris;
'Tain't biliousness; ner rheumatiz;
'Tain't my head, fer I think right smart;
'Tain't my liver, ner yet my heart;
'Tain't stomach, ner gout—then goldarn

me
'Tain't nothin' at all es I kin see.
En still it's somethin'—guess I'll go
An' see the doctor; he'll sure know. Seems t' me I remember this very same Come on me about this same time las'

spring;
An' th' doctor doped me wi' nasty stuff
By th' gallon, an' I bought drugs enuff
T' start a store; but lord! they
Couldn't drive thet gnawin' inside away;
Somethin' jes' a-gnawin' at my innards— Symptoms that I hed when th' las' spring came!
Gosh! What's th' use o' seein' th' doc?
He ain't got nuthin' at all thet'll knock
This here trouble thet allus comes
When th' birds all sing an' th' honey bee When th' ice cracks up an' th' streams all roar; An' th' soft air blows through th' open door; When th' vi'lets come, an' th' grass blades sprout. An' th' sun gits warm, an' th' buds break Demme tell you this-when th' world gits

Th' on'y cure fer a man I know Is t' git right out o' th' town an' ge Where th' wil' ducks swarm an' the gees

go by, n' th' trout an' bass are a-jumpin' high; on'y thing thet'll cure him then t' git away from his feller men loaf a day by some laffin' stream, fish an' whistie an' sing an' dream, listen t' birds an' bugs, an' hear voice o' th' woods in his eager ear, ' smell th' flowers, an' watch th' squirreis.

An' cast a fly where th' eddy whirls,
An' fergit thet there's cities an' hou

Fergit thet he's got ter go back agen;
Fergit, when on moss-grown bank he's

If We Don't

Save You Money We Don't Want Your Trade.

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1	Groceries.		
	Extra fine sun-dried apples, 3 lbs. for	25c	
1	Fine California prunes, per lb., 5c and	7½c	
1	Extra fine California peaches, per lb	8c	
-	Extra fine California plums, per lb.	8tc	
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1	cherries, per lb	12c	
	Extra fine California apricots, per lb. Extra fine California figs, per lb. Fine pickles, per bottle	12c	
	Extra fine California figs,	5c	
	Fine pickles, per	10c	
1	Fine catsup, 2 bottles for	25c	
1	Large bottle washing ammonia	12c	
1	20 lbs. dry granulated Sugar	1.00	
1	Best Mocha and Java coffee, worth 40c, here	25c	
1	High grade coffee, worth	15c	
1		12\c	
	Best package tea, worth 20c	10c	
Ì	Walker's family soap, per bar	40	
1	Walker's Cammelia soap, 10 bars for	25c	
	Tomatoes, all kinds, per	100	
	First-class table peaches, per can	150	
	Good corn, per	810	
	Best leaf lard, 3 lb. can	400	
	3 lb. can	65.	
j	Best leaf lard, 5 lb. can Best leaf lard, 10 lb. can Fine sugar cured hams	000	
	Fine sugar cured	1010	
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	meats Pork and beans, 3 cans for	250	
	3 cans for	1210	
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	butter	1240	
ı	Rest almonds	1210	
	Crockery and Granitew		
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